

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
GREENVILLE DIVISION**

IN RE WORLD ACCEPTANCE
CORPORATION DERIVATIVE
LITIGATION

Lead Case No. 6:15-cv-02796-MGL

(Derivative Action)

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**ORDER GRANTING JOINT MOTION
FOR INDICATIVE RULING
REGARDING PRELIMINARY
APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT**

This matter came before the Court upon the joint motion of the parties pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 62.1. The parties jointly request an indicative ruling from this Court that, upon limited remand from the 4th Circuit Court of Appeals, this Court will grant preliminary approval of the proposed settlement of this putative shareholder derivative action pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 23.1(c), and schedule a final approval hearing after notice to the shareholders. Having considered the joint motion, and the motion for preliminary approval of the settlement filed concurrently therewith, the Court is of the opinion, and so finds, that if the case is remanded to it by the 4th Circuit Court of Appeals, it will grant the relief requested.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Signed this 17th day of August, 2017, in Columbia, South Carolina.

s/ Mary Geiger Lewis
MARY GEIGER LEWIS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE